

Schedule of Forest Service Land Management Plan Revisions & New Plans

August 15, 2004

The Land Management Planning rule adopted November 9, 2000, required the Chief of the Forest Service to develop a Land Management Plan (LMP) Revision Schedule for the National Forest System (NFS) units that had not completed revisions of their plans. Accordingly, the LMP Revision Schedule was published in the Federal Register November 30, 2001 (66 FR 59775). As indicated in the Federal Register notice, the Revision Schedule will be updated as needed to account for new information and changed conditions. To keep the public informed of the revision schedule, schedule changes will be posted on the Forest Service Ecosystem Management Coordination staff website.

Since the publication of the November 2001 schedule, a number of NFS units have had to adjust the timeframe for their plan revisions. The following four tables display the updated Service-wide Revision Schedule for each unit of NFS by fiscal year as well as the schedule for the development of new plans for recently established units of NFS. Table 1 lists plan revisions completed to date. Table 2 lists plan revisions already underway. Table 3 lists anticipated start dates for upcoming plan revisions. Table 4 displays the schedule for development of new plans for two recently established units of NFS, the Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie and the Land-Between-the-Lakes National Recreation Area.

Posting of this schedule does not constitute an initiation of a plan development or revision process for any NFS unit. A Notice of Intent to develop or revise a plan, which is published in the Federal Register as well as in newspapers of general circulation within the area covered by the plan, initiates the revision process for each plan. Additionally, this posting of the schedule on the Forest Service Ecosystem Management Coordination staff website does not, in itself, constitute an action subject to the National Environmental Policy Act procedures of 40 CFR parts 1500 – 1508 or Forest Service Handbook 1909.15. The Service-wide Revision Schedule will continue to be adjusted as necessary and, at regular intervals, posted on the Forest Service Ecosystem Management Coordination staff website at www.fs.fed.us/emc/nfma.

TABLE 1 – LMP REVISIONS COMPLETED BY FISCAL YEAR
 (as of August 15, 2004)

Region	State	Planning Unit NF = National Forest NG = National Grassland	Revision Completion Date 1/ Fiscal Year
8	VA	George Washington NF	1993
8	SC	Francis Marion NF	1996
8	TX	NFs in Texas	1996
2	CO	Rio Grande NF	1997
4	ID	Targhee NF	1997
8	PR	Caribbean NF	1997
10	AK	Tongass NF	1997
2	SD	Black Hills NF	1997
2	CO	Arapaho-Roosevelt NF	1998
2	CO	Routt NF	1998
8	FL	NFs in Florida	1999
8	LA	Kisatchie NF	1999
2	CO	White River NF	2002
10	AK	Chugach NF	2002
1	ND	Dakota Prairie NG	2002
2	NE	Nebraska NF	2002
2	WY	Thunder Basin NG (part of Med Bow)	2002
8	NC	Croatan NF	2003
4	ID	Caribou NF	2003
4	UT	Wasatch-Cache NF	2003
4	UT	Uinta NF	2003
4	ID	Boise NF	2003
4	ID	Payette NF	2003
4	ID	Sawtooth NF	2003
2	WY	Medicine Bow NF	2004
8	AL	NFs in Alabama	2004
8	GA	Chattahoochee-Oconee NF	2004
8	TN	Cherokee NF	2004
8	VA	Jefferson NF	2004
8	SC	Sumter NF	2004
8	KY	Daniel Boone NF	2004
9	WI	Chequamegon-Nicolet NF	2004
9	MN	Chippewa NF	2004
9	MN	Superior NF	2004

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TABLE 2 - LMP REVISIONS ALREADY UNDERWAY BY FISCAL YEAR

Region	State	Planning Unit NF = National Forest NG = National Grassland NRA = National Recreation Area	NFMA Required Revision Date Fiscal Year	Actual Revision Initiation Date <u>1</u>/ Fiscal Year	Expected Revision Completion Date <u>2</u>/ Fiscal Year
1	MT	Kootenai NF	2002	1996	2004
9	NH	White Mountain NF	2001	2000	2004
9	IL	Shawnee NF	2001	2000	2004
5	CA	Angeles NF	2002	2001	2004
5	CA	Cleveland NF	2001	2001	2004
5	CA	Los Padres NF	2003	2001	2004
5	CA	San Bernardino NF	2004	2001	2004
1	MT	Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF	2001	2001	2005
1	MT	Flathead NF	2001	2001	2005
1	ID	Idaho-Panhandle NF	2002	2001	2005
2	CO	GMG NF	1998	1999	2005
2	WY	Bighorn NF	2000	1999	2005
2	CO	San Juan NF	1998	1999	2005
8	AR	Ouachita NF	2001	2002	2005
8	AR	Ozark-St. Francis NF	2001	2002	2005
9	MO	Mark Twain NF	2001	2002	2005
9	WV	Monongahela NF	2001	2002	2005
9	OH	Wayne NF	2003	2002	2005
9	VT	Green Mountain-Finger Lakes NF	2002	2001	2005
9	IN	Hoosier NF	2000	2000	2005
1	MT	Lolo NF	2001	2002	2006
2	CO	Cimarron-Comanche NG	1999	1999	2006
4	UT	Dixie NF	2001	2002	2006
4	UT	Fishlake NF	2001	2002	2006
4	UT	Manti-LaSal NF	2001	2002	2006
9	PA	Allegheny NF	2001	2003	2006
9	MI	Hiawatha NF	2001	2003	2006
9	MI	Huron-Manistee NF	2001	2003	2006
9	MI	Ottawa NF	2001	2003	2006

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TABLE 2 - LMP REVISIONS ALREADY UNDERWAY BY FISCAL YEAR - continued

Region	State	Planning Unit NF = National Forest NG = National Grassland NRA = National Recreation Area	NFMA Required Revision Date Fiscal Year	Actual Revision Initiation Date <u>1</u> / Fiscal Year	Expected Revision Completion Date <u>2</u> / Fiscal Year
1	MT	Bitterroot NF	2002	2003	2007
1	ID	Clearwater NF	2002	2003	2007
1	ID	Nez Perce NF	2002	2003	2007
4	NV	Humbolt-Toiyabe NF	2001	2003	2007
6	WA	Colville NF	2003	2003	2007
6	WA	Okanogan NF	2004	2003	2007
6	WA	Wenatchee NF	2005	2003	2007
8	MS	NFs in Mississippi	2000	2003	2007
2	CO	Pike-San Isabel NF	1999	1999	2008

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TABLE 3 – LMPS NEEDING REVISION BY FISCAL YEAR

Region	State	Planning Unit NF = National Forest NG = National Grassland NRA = National Recreation Area	NFMA Required Revision Date Fiscal Year	Scheduled Revision Initiation Date 1/ Fiscal Year	Scheduled Revision Completion Date 2/ Fiscal Year
5	CA	Inyo NF	2003	2004	2006
5	CA	Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt Unit	2003	2004	2006
5	CA	Sequoia NF	2003	2004	2006
2	WY	Shoshone NF	2001	2004	2008
3	NM	Cibola NF - Grassland only	2000	2004	2008
3	AZ	Coronado NF	2001	2004	2008
4	UT	Ashley NF	2001	2004	2008
6	OR	Malheur NF	2005	2004	2008
6	OR	Umatilla NF	2005	2004	2008
6	OR	Wallowa-Whitman NF	2005	2004	2008
8	NC	Nantahala-Pisgah NF	2002	2005	2008
8	NC	Uwharrie NF	2001	2005	2008
4	WY	Bridger-Teton NF	2005	2005	2009
4	ID	Salmon-Challis NF	2002	2005	2009
6	OR	Fremont NF	2004	2005	2009
6	OR	Winema NF	2005	2005	2009
5	CA	Lassen NF	2008	2006	2008
5	CA	Plumas NF	2003	2006	2008
5	CA	Tahoe NF	2005	2006	2008
5	CA	Modoc NF	2006	2006	2008
1	MT	Custer NF	2002	2006	2010
1	MT	Gallatin NF	2002	2006	2010
1	MT	Helena NF	2001	2006	2010
1	MT	Lewis & Clark NF	2001	2006	2010
3	AZ	Apache-Sitgreaves NF	2002	2006	2010
3	AZ	Coconino NF	2002	2006	2010
3	AZ	Kaibab NF	2003	2006	2010
3	AZ	Prescott NF	2002	2006	2010
3	AZ	Tonto NF	2000	2006	2010
6	OR	Deschutes NF	2005	2006	2010
6	OR	Ochoco NF	2004	2006	2010

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TABLE 3 – LMPS NEEDING REVISION BY FISCAL YEAR – Continued

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5	CA	Eldorado NF	2004	2007	2009
5	CA	Sierra NF	2007	2007	2009
5	CA	Stanislaus NF	2006	2007	2009
3	NM	Carson NF	2001	2007	2011
3	NM	Gila NF	2001	2007	2011
3	NM	Santa Fe NF	2002	2007	2011
3	NM	Cibola NF	2000	2007	2011
3	NM	Lincoln NF	2001	2007	2011
6	OR	Rogue River NF	2005	2007	2011
6	OR	Siskiyou NF	2004	2007	2011
6	OR	Umpqua NF	2005	2007	2011
5	CA	Klamath NF	2010	2008	2010
5	CA	Mendocino NF	2010	2008	2010
5	CA	Shasta-Trinity NF	2010	2008	2010
5	CA	Six Rivers NF	2010	2008	2010
6	WA	Gifford Pinchot NF	2005	2008	2012
6	WA	Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie NF	2005	2008	2012
6	OR	Mt. Hood NF	2005	2008	2012
6	WA	Olympic NF	2005	2008	2012
6	OR	Siuslaw NF	2005	2008	2012
6	OR	Willamette NF	2005	2008	2012

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TABLE 4 – DEVELOPMENT OF NEW LMPS BY FISCAL YEAR

Region	State	Planning Unit NF = National Forest NG = National Grassland NRA = National Recreation Area	Scheduled Initiation Date 1/ Fiscal Year	Actual or Scheduled Completion Date 2/ Fiscal Year
8	KY	Land Between the Lakes NRA	2003	2005
9	IL	Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie		2002

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